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## SOME CROPS GONE.

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Annona, June 1.—Vegetation was chopped to pieces by a ferocious hailstorm Friday. Simultaneously a wind of almost cyclonic force wrecked several houses, destroying some of them. In all this section, save in a segment south-east of here, the crops are ruined. The wind blew corn and wheat to the ground and the hail cut everything green into bits, and denuded fruit trees. It blew the steeple from the Baptist church here and wrecked the school building.

Four miles east of here a Baptist church was demolished, as was also a blacksmith shop.

At Swanton, in this county, the schoolhouse was wrecked.

The hail fell for 30 or 40 minutes, and drifted in some places 2½ feet deep.

### Storm in Bosque County.

Clifton, Tex., June 1.—A hailstorm which lasted a few moments did considerable damage Friday. The hailstones varied in size from that of a pullet egg to three inches in diameter. There is scarcely a house that did not sustain damage from breakage of window lights or otherwise. Fowls and small animals were killed. Limbs, leaves and fruits were thrashed from the trees and some crops suffered loss.

### Heavy Damage Near Tyler.

Tyler, Tex., June 1.—This section was visited by a waterspout, accompanied by terrific wind and hail Thursday. Immense trees were blown down, roads were washed and crops greatly damaged. The hail beat the fruit off the trees and it is feared the crop is seriously hurt. All garden truck was almost destroyed. Throughout east Texas the damage is considerable.

### Blighting Hailstorm.

Hallville, Tex., June 1.—One of the heaviest rains and most terrific hailstorms ever known in this section occurred Thursday. The damage to growing crops can not at this time be estimated. In some instances absolutely nothing in the shape of either corn or cotton is left.

### All Crops Ruined.

Rising Star, Tex., June 1.—A disastrous hailstorm passed over this place Thursday, doing much damage to crops, destroying practically everything in its path and killing stock and poultry. Cotton will have to be planted over. The path of the storm was ½ miles wide and it excluded about 7½ miles.

### Fell Before His Binder.

McKinney, Tex., June 1.—A terrible accident occurred to George Martin, a farmer living three miles south of here. He was cutting wheat when his team ran away, throwing him to the ground in front of his binder. He was frightfully cut on the body and left arm by the sickle, while his right hand was completely severed from his arm at the wrist. His condition is critical.

### Cut to Pieces by Hail.

Corsicana, Tex., June 1.—Parties in from Richland, 20 miles south of the city report that a most destructive hailstorm visited that section and the country about Cade Thursday night. The corn and cotton crops in many fields were fairly exterminated.

### Lamp Exploded.

Forney, Tex., June 1.—Miss Leonora Halley, daughter of Mrs. S. O. Halley, was burned to death here. She was writing a letter when the lamp exploded igniting her clothing. She screamed for help, which was rendered at once, but she dropped before the flames were hardly extinguished. She has taught in the public schools here for the last two years.

### Mormons at San Antonio.

San Antonio, June 1.—Five Mormon elders from Utah and Idaho have arrived in the city and established office headquarters here. They will conduct a series of open air meetings in the city, commencing on Alamo plaza.

### Ground to Pieces.

South McAlester, I. T., June 1.—William Shilliday, a brakeman on the Choctaw, fell under the wheels and was ground into a shapeless mass. He was coming west and at Hartford making a pilot coupling fell on the track and was run over. The remains were gathered up and brought here for burial.

### Held Back by Log.

Boston, June 1.—In a lecture here for the First Congregational church Richard Harding Davis said that Admiral Sampson was anxious during the siege to enter Santiago harbor with his fleet and destroy Cervera's ships, but that Secretary Long absolutely forbade him.

## RIOTS IN RUSSIA.

Denial Made That a Revolution Is Near in That Country.

London, June 1.—General J. B. Williams, who has been stopping at the Hotel Cecil, emphatically denies the reports that have been circulated to the effect that Russia is on the verge of a revolution. In an interview he says:

"To judge by the reports in the English papers one would imagine that Russia was a hotbed of sedition, just quivering on the brink of revolution. Now, I have visited that country periodically for many years past, and have had an opportunity to see, perhaps, more than the average visitor could see, and to study the conditions of the country in a way that only one can only do by intimate acquaintance. The country is a peaceable as any in the world.

"People go about their business as freely as in England or America and appear to be just as little in awe of the authorities. Furthermore, as regards foreigners, or, I should say Americans, there seems to be only the friendliest feeling. You are everywhere received kindly. There is an evident disposition to do business with you on straightforward business lines. With regard to some stories sent over the wires to the English papers, there are two which I can contradict from my own personal observation. The story about police precaution at the review was a myth, pure and simple. I was at the review with my wife, and came within 150 feet of the spot where the czar was standing.

"Beyond the ordinary guard of honor there was absolutely no appearance of precaution to safeguard the czar's person. Certainly there was nothing like wholesale exclusion of the public. The czar moved around quite freely and did not appear to have the slightest distrust of any one who came near him. I have seen other royalties at similar functions, and certainly the czar did not appear any more danger or fear than they did.

"Another instance of gross exaggeration was the incident of the students at the cathedral, when, according to the reports to London, a small sized revolution was the result. Now I happened to be sitting in the balcony of the Nevsky Prospect hotel at the time and witnessed the whole incident. There was a handful of students who were expelled from the cathedral because they would insist on smoking inside the church. They were expelled with as little fuss as so many young fellows would occasion who tried to smoke inside St. Paul's. There was not the slightest disturbance, certainly nothing which would in any way be described as an amute. Yet that trifling thing evidently was magnified in event which must threatened the Russian throne. It was all over in a few minutes."

### Federal Building for Abilene.

Abilene, Tex., June 1.—The supervising architect of the treasury department is advertising for the erection of the federal building here. The building is to be completed in 1902, and is to cost \$112,500. The plans call for a 3-story building, one story stone face and the remainder in gray brick and terra cotta, with copper roof. The lower floor will be used as the postoffice and the second floor for the federal court room. June 25 is the day set for the letting of the contract.

### Will Go to Ecuador.

New York, June 1.—Cadets Birchie O. Mahaffey of Texas, Henry L. Bowlby of Nebraska, John A. Cleveland of Alabama, T. F. Kelly of New York and R. A. Inton of Michigan, recently dismissed from West Point for insubordination, are to go to Ecuador to serve as engineers in the building of a railroad across the Andes mountains.

### Army Officer Convicted.

Mobile, June 1.—The verdict of the jury of the United States circuit court in the case of C. M. King, ex-captain and contracting quartermaster of the United States army, at Fort Morgan, Ala., was announced to the court as guilty as charged in the second count of the indictment of receiving money with the intent to influence his official conduct.

### Tragedy at Walnut Springs.

Walnut Springs, Tex., June 1.—Geo. Farabee was shot and mortally wounded here Friday afternoon. Ed Herd was arrested and taken to Meridian. Both parties reside in Meridian, and were attending a picnic. The shooting occurred in the midst of a large crowd, and it was almost a miracle that no one else was hurt.

### Cotton Acreage Increased.

Washington, June 1.—The bureau of statistics estimates the amount of cotton planted at 27,532,000 acres, an increase of 2,111,000 acres or 8.3 per cent over the acreage planted last year. The increase in states where the area planted and that picked last year were practically of the same increase.

### Terrible Accident.

Guthrie, O. T., June 1.—Near Nardin two sons of P. J. Stratton were hunting when a gun was accidentally discharged in the hands of the older, the lead entering the face and head of his 10-year-old brother, destroying his eyesight and producing other wounds likely to prove fatal.

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### Miner Killed Near Joplin.

Joplin, Mo., June 1.—C. N. Brace, a ground man at the Cliff mine, was killed by a boulder which fell from the side of the drift. It struck him back of the head, breaking his neck, causing instant death.

### Story of the Unloaded Gun.

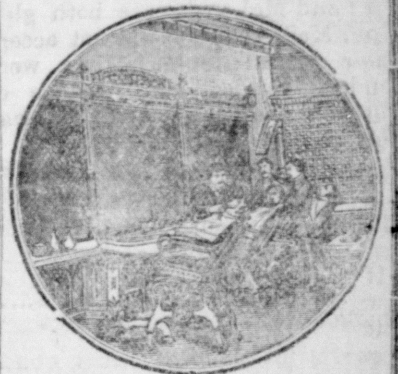
Ardmore, I. T., June 1.—At Wallville Edna Randall, a 16-year-old girl, accidentally shot and killed Lee Combs, aged 19. It was the same old story of an unloaded gun.

### Rejects Their Resignation.

Columbia, S. C., June 1.—Governor McSweeney has rejected the resignations of Senators Tillman and McLaurin to give them time to reconsider their action.

### Railroad Man Dead.

Chicago, June 1.—D. B. Robertson, ex-president of the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe Railroad company, died at his home in this city after a protracted illness.



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Heavy rains are reported from a wide area of the state accompanied by hail and much damage to crops in some places notably around alestine.

Very little is heard from the South African war, but at last account the Boers had killed 174 Britishers on the anniversary of Lord Robert's entry into Johnnesburg.

Modore county Californians held a lynching bee the past week and strung up five men, ranging in age from 16 to 72 years and charged with petty theft. California air is noted for making people vigorous.

Don't you expect Senators Tillman and McLaurin are both glad Gov. McSweeney would not accept their resignations? They were tendered under the impulse of anger towards one another that was childish in its manifestation.

Senator Morgan does not hesitate to declare that our policy towards Cuba is dictated by the sugar trust. "If Cuba was annexed," he says, "sugar would come in free of duty and the people would have cheap sugar. But the sugar trust would lose its power to rob the people by holding the sugar market in the hollow of its hand. Therefore we are required to keep Cuba at arm's length, so that Congress can tax her sugar for the benefit of the sugar trust; but we must not give Cuba sovereign independence so that she would be at liberty to make bargains with other countries for the disposal of her sugar and tobacco. To accomplish all this we are required to retain the right to rule Cuba in her foreign relations and to interfere, at our option in her domestic affairs."

The daughters of the Confederacy will celebrate Jefferson Davis birthday tomorrow, at 8:30 p. m. at the Presbyterian church. Everybody invited. The daughters are requested to meet at residence of Mrs. J. J. Adams Monday morning at 10, for a business meeting.

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## FIVE MEN LYNCHED.

An Old Man, His Three Sons and Another Man Hanged.

Bieber, Cal., June 1.—Five men were lynched at Lookout Friday. The lynched were Calvin Hall, aged 72; his three half-breed sons, Frank, James and Martin, aged respectively 16, 19 and 16, and B. D. Yantis, aged 27. As reported here the men had been suspected of petty stealing for some time. Last week they were arrested for stealing barbed wire, bits of harness and hay forks. A warrant was issued and harness and forks found in the house of Hall and Yantis.

The charge against the elder Hall was petty larceny for stealing the forks, hence he was released on his own recognizance. His trial was to have taken place Friday morning. The charges against the others was burglary.

They were held in custody over Thursday, being unable to furnish bail. Pending their examination they were held under guard.

Friday morning a mob appeared at the hotel and with leveled guns commanded the others to be silent. They then secured the five prisoners, placed ropes around their necks and dragged them to the bridge that crosses Pitt river. The guards were compelled to follow. The men were taken to the main bridge and hanged.

## TERRIFIC WIND.

A Georgia Town Damaged and Crops Badly Injured.

Dawson, Ga., June 1.—A terrific wind and hail storm visited Dawson Friday, doing considerable damage. The storm struck the northern part of the city destroying a large amount of valuable property. The roofs were blown off the Dawson Grocery company's warehouse, the Dawson crate and box factory, and both the Seaboard and Central railway's freight warehouses, exposing their contents to the weather. The top and smokestack was torn from the compress and the Dawson oil mill plant was partially destroyed, their refinery being a total wreck. The wind played havoc in negro town, totally destroying a great many of the houses, completely demolishing a new modern church, which has just been completed at a cost of nearly \$8000 and leaving the large Odd Fellows' hall in a mass of ruins. Several fine mules were killed by lightning. Crops in this section are greatly damaged by the rain and hail and the fruit crop, which was ripening very fast, is badly injured.

At Sassur, about seven miles south only two houses were blown down.

At Herod, five miles southeast, one store was demolished and two mules killed by flying timbers.

Three houses were destroyed at Belmont, four miles north, and several houses unroofed at Parrott, nine miles north.

About 30 houses were destroyed in and near Dawson, telephone and telegraph communication is cut off and electric wires are down leaving the city in darkness.

## Storm in Mississippi.

Vicksburg, June 1.—A wind storm, almost cyclonic in proportions, passed through the southwestern section of Claiborne county Friday prostrating trees, houses and everything else in its path. So far only one fatality is reported. The wind was accompanied by heavy hail and the damage to crops will be heavy. The rainfall at Vicksburg Thursday night was nearly four inches.

## Severe in Alabama.

Montgomery, June 1.—Heavy rains and hail storms passed over this section of Alabama Friday morning doing much damage to crops. In some places four inches of rain fell in nine hours. Along the Louisville and Nashville road between Montgomery and Mobile the storm was severe.

## In Mississippi.

Meridian, June 1.—A terrific wind and hail storm passed over this city and section Friday. Damage to crops great. The electrical display was something never before witnessed here.

## Collision Between Freight.

Chicago, June 1.—In a rear-end collision between two sections of a Wabash freight train here two men were seriously hurt, four others narrowly escaped by jumping, one engine was ruined and three freight cars and a caboose demolished. The injured are: Harry Mason of San Antonio, Tex., hurt internally and right side crushed, may die; John Garland of Omaha, Neb., hurt internally and cut on legs, may die.

## Obiterated Her Family.

Cincinnati, June 1.—A frightful tragedy took place at the home of Otis Hester of Covington, Ky., Friday night and the bodies of an entire family now lie at the morgue in that city. Mrs. Kate Hester, aged 52, after a quarrel with her husband, Otis, aged 42, at the supper table, shot and killed him as well as their 3-year-old daughter, after which she put the revolver to her own head and blew out her brains. It is not known what was the cause of quarrel.

## Running Night and Day.

Waxahachie, Tex., June 1.—Waxahachie cotton mills have been running every night for a week. An increased demand for the goods and being short of some operatives rendered running at night necessary. The demand and sale of homemade cloth is very gratifying.

## Farm Hand Commits Suicide.

Manor, Tex., May 31.—Theodore Freich, a German farm hand, committed suicide here by shooting himself in the forehead with a pistol. No reason can be assigned for the act.

## BRITISH UNEASY.

The Last Attack from the Boers Reveals Their Determined Nature.

London, June 1.—General Kitchener's account of the battle of Vladfontein lights up public interest once more in the Boer war. These facts stand out:

First, the determined nature of the Boer assault upon an entrenched position 50 miles from Johannesburg, and secondly, the heavy losses suffered by both sides. This has been the first real engagement which has been fought for many months and it is decisive proof that the Boers when led by a cool and wary general like Delarey can still offer strenuous resistance to British arms.

The details of this battle may indicate that General Dixon's force was surprised and that the casualty list was run up to 174 in this way. But the Boers, in any event were assailants and were not repulsed without severe losses. The Boers are also reported to have fought with exceptional gallantry while in pursuit of General Plumer's convoy.

A British officer who is on furlough after fighting from Colenso to Lydenburg has been predicting that the closing skirmishes of the campaign would appear on the line of Durban-Johannesburg railway in the vicinity of Heidelberg and Standerton. Both these affairs within the theater of war defined by this officer months ago as the last Boer ditch.

The natural explanation for the fighting is that one line after another is opening and refugees are returning to Johannesburg in small groups and the British are making desperate attempts to frighten them and hope to end the war in this way.

## Reticence Causes Doubt.

London, June 1.—The reticence of the government regarding the battle of Vladfontein and other military events of importance which recently occurred at widely separated points in South Africa, led to considerable anxiety. This is in no way allayed by the curious answer of the war office to the question regarding the accuracy or otherwise recent Boer report that the British were severely defeated near Pretoria May 2, losing 46 killed, 80 wounded, 600 prisoners and 6 guns. The reply which the war office vouchsafed, "We have no official information," has aroused some misgivings.

## Botha Communicates With Kruger.

London, June 1.—The Sun publishes a sensational story to the effect that General Botha has arrived at Standerton and is in communication by telegraph with Kruger through the Netherlands government, appealing to Kruger to sue for peace. General Kitchener is said to have given Botha permission to adopt this course.

The Sun further hears that 10,000 Zulus have gone on the war path owing to Boer raids in Zululand.

## Soldiers Wreck a Saloon.

San Francisco, June 1.—A mob of soldiers numbering 500 or 600 indulged in a riot Friday night and wrecked Mrs. Powers' saloon, one of the many drinking places just outside the Presidio reservation. They claimed a soldier was drugged in the saloon. They demanded reparation for the drugging of their comrade but any knowledge of the affair was denied. Two or three soldiers, lounging about the place sided with the women and ordered the soldiers from the premises. Reinforcements were obtained, the place wrecked and the bartender narrowly escaped lynching. Order was restored with difficulty.

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Rome, June 1.—Queen Helena was accouched of a daughter at 9 o'clock this morning. Both mother and infant are doing well. The child was named Yolanda Margherita. Amidst the general congratulations there was considerable disappointment at infant's sex, though the king is understood to have expressed contentment. Salutes are being fired throughout Italy. The infant's nurse, besides receiving liberal pay and pension will get \$2000 with the baby's first tooth, another \$2000 when the child is able to speak and a similar sum when the little princess walks unsupported.

## Dr. Watson on Revise Confession.

London, June 1.—Rev. Dr. John Watson, (Ian MacLaren) who last year was moderator of the English Presbyterian synod, was asked by a representative of the Associated Press for an opinion as to the American decision on revise confession. He writes: "Many on this side of the Atlantic are glad to know that their Presbyterian brethren in the

United States propose to revise the confession. It is an intellectual wonder, but will be improved by a reduction in size and an infusion of love."

## Squall Strikes a Fishing Fleet.

Charleston, S. C., June 1.—A fleet of fishing boats from Charleston was caught in a squall which swept up the coast late Friday afternoon, 40 miles south of this city. Three boats are missing. Their crews number 15 men, the majority being negroes. It is believed all have been lost.

## King Receives New Yorkers.

Windsor, June 1.—The visiting members of the New York Chamber of Commerce were this morning received by the king and queen and shown every courtesy.

## Mrs. McKinley's Condition.

Washington, June 1.—Mrs. McKinley's condition this morning was much improved. Many prominent persons call to inquire about her condition.

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## CORRESPONDENCE.

### MILICAN.

The boll weevil has made its appearance in this part of the country and the farmer is very much discouraged.

Dewberries have been plentiful but other fruits will be scarce.

The vegetable association made a shipment of beans to Kansas last week.

Dr. Gay Eaves of Bremond has been here several times the past week to attend Mrs. J. F. Eaves who has been very sick.

Mrs. McCorquodale and Mrs. Buchanan came down from Bryan Tuesday to see Mrs. Eaves.

Misses Mattie Dodson and Nan-nie Kirkland went to Bryan Saturday.

Misses Alice Dunlap and Mary Lou Monroe visited Houston last week.

Miss Monroe returned to her home in Kosse Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lauderdale of Somerville are visiting Mrs. Fannie Dunlap.

Mr. Billy Johnson is at home after a trip out on the road.

Wm. Spann of Dallas was here last week.

Mrs. McLeod and daughter, Miss Eva, went to Bryan Sunday.

A. J. Holliday visited Belton last week.

Miss Lettie Cunningham went to Greenville Monday to attend commencement.

Sam Meredith was over from Burleson county Saturday.

Rev. G. S. Sandel of Wellborn preached at the Methodist church here Sunday.

### EDGE.

Another big rain and the ground is rather wet to work but the farmers are attempting to do something as most of them are so far behind.

Mr. E. C. Elliott and son, Clarence, went to Bryan Friday.

Mr. James Murphy and family are spending a few days at Mr. Will Carter's.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Nash visited the family of Mr. Leonard McDonald Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Leathers and daughter, Miss Maude, spent a few days with Mrs. Sam Seale near Benchley last week.

Mrs. Wallace, Mrs. Nash, Miss Rose Elliott and Miss Maude Leathers went horseback riding Wednesday evening.

Misses Dollie Elliott and Maud Leathers went fishing one evening last week.

Mrs. Lena Beard and little son George of Franklin are visiting relatives at Edge.

Miss Florence McMichael has returned from school at San Antonio.

H. T. Palmer was in Edge Saturday.

Edge has long been in need of a doctor, but we had quite a shower last week there being two come to locate in our little village.

News Boy.

### San Angelo, Texas.

San Angelo, Texas, May 25.—We had a splendid rain in San Angelo and vicinity yesterday about 7 p. m. and the downpour was probably heavy in the country as all communication on the long distance telephone west and south

was cut off, it is still raining as I write.

Mr. Hugh Bullock and family and Mr. C. E. Whittington and family have moved from Bryan to San Angelo. I think they are highly pleased with this country. Mr. Bullock is still suffering from laprippe but I think he will regain his strength in a few days.

Commencement exercises were held last night at 8:30 p. m. It was grand and the house was filled with people.

If you miss your friends during the coming summer, just address them at Beaumont, Texas. They will be there sure, looking for oil lands and buying chances.

J. M. Slaughter.

### NIP and TUCK.

Nip and Tuck, May 27.—Boll weevils are all the talk just now.

Mrs. Meredith and daughter Miss Clyde, visited Mrs. Wheelless and family of Ficky Sunday.

A few from here attended the debate at Kurten Saturday night.

Mr. L. E. Edge and wife were visitors here Saturday.

Mrs. T. E. Shaw of Cottonwood spent a few days last week with her sons family here.

Mr. A. Carroll of Steep Hollow visited here Saturday.

Mr. Harvey Suttles returned to his home at Pearland Thursday after spending a week here with relatives.

Elder I. J. Taylor left for Houston county Friday.

Mr. W. Cheatham went to Kurten Friday.

Mrs. Carroll and daughter Miss Laura went to Bryan Saturday.

Miss Estella Edge returned to her home in Bryan Thursday after a visit of several days to relatives here.

Mr. Alex Carroll visited Ficky Sunday.

### COTTONWOOD.

Cottonwood, Texas, May 28.—We have been having a great deal of rain.

Owing to the rain and bad roads the Wheelock debators were delayed and didn't arrive at the appointed time and the people were all leaving and met them coming. We are sorry they were disappointed.

Mrs. Zimmerman and little son of Kurten, visited here Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Gilpine of Kurten visited Mrs. Reynolds Sunday.

Mr. Chew of Bryan was in our community this past week.

Rev. Nunley preached at the school house Sunday.

Miss Minnie Bullock of Reliance has a musical class here and they are progressing nicely.

The picnic which will be given at the close of the Cottonwood school will be Friday June 7th.

Prof. Scott, Earnest Gallatin and Roy Zimmerman attended the debate at Kurten Saturday night.

May-bee

### HARVEY.

Harvey, May 27.—Boll weevils are making their appearance in several of the farms here. I saw a piece in the Galveston News, how to kill them, it said if you will plow your cotton during bug season and cover up squares that you will kill the weevil; that just at the time he changes from worm to weevil he needs air and that if he

does not get it, from being covered up, he dies.—[Prof. Mally says that this is not true—that plowing him under does not hurt the boll weevil.—Ed.]

Mr. Charley Jones lost a \$150 mule one day last week, supposed to have been killed on a barbed wire fence.

Mr. A. W. Dyess found four of his fine pigs dead Sunday morning.

Rev. J. M. Bullock filled his regular appointment at Bethel Saturday and Sunday, he invites all to attend the Saturday night prayer meeting.

Singing was splendid at Bright Light Sunday afternoon and new officers were elected. Tony Dyess was elected president, Thurston Cole vice president and Mrs. Tillie Dyess secretary.

The ice cream supper at Rev. S. R. McClung's given in honor of Prof. Sims was largely attended and music was furnished by Mr. Amos Williams and Miss Edna Weeden.

Mr. Eugene Suber and Tom Goodwin came over from Providence Sunday. Correspondent.

### KURTEN.

Kurten, Texas, May 27th.—The weather is exceedingly fine at present, excepting a little cool snap.

There was a debate at Kurten Hall Saturday night between Cottonwood and Kurten. The subject was: Resolved, that religion is a greater civilizer than science. Kurten debators had the affirmative side. The judges decided in favor of the negative. The next subject for discussion is: Resolved, that whiskey has done more to the destruction of the human race than war.

R. E. Scott and Joe Suttles are champion speakers. Those on the affirm. side are R. E. Scott, Paul W. Edge, Dee Robinson, Jr. and Miss Pearl Kurten. Those on the other side are as follows: Joe Suttles, Roy Zimmerman, V. B. Edge and H. L. Palmer. The next meeting will be on next Saturday night June 1st. Everybody are respectfully invited.

The singing at the Hall Sunday evening was exceedingly fine, will meet again on the second Sunday evening.

The rains that we had last week did serious damage to crops, everybody report having a supply of boll weevils.

L. E. Edge and wife of Wixon visited Kurten Sunday.

Tobe Tobias and Victor Edge attended prayer meeting at Wixon Sunday evening.

Dr. Chas. H. Edge and wife of Houston has been visiting relatives here the past week.

There was quite a social entertainment at the residence of Mr. Henry F. Prinzel Sunday evening from 4 to 7 o'clock. Refreshments were served and most all report a splendid time. Some of those present were: Messrs. Philip Prinzel, L. White, Tobe Tobias, V. B. Edge, Tol Tobias, V. White, Hugo Endler and Misses White of Bryan.

"Cape Jasmine."

### BEDIAS.

People of this community are enjoying good health at present.

The farmers enjoyed a good rain Sunday which was much needed.

Mr. Alfred Lahman, of this community was bitten by a rattlesnake Monday morning. He is getting along alright.

Mrs. John Mooring has been on the sick list for the past week, but is better at present.

The Bedias Literary and Debating Society will meet next Friday night at the regular time.

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Miss Lola Guarrant has been visiting friends at Iowa the past week.

Mrs. Amanda Morgan was here Friday.

Mesdames Bell Albertson and L. J. A. Hall visited friends in Calvert last week.

Mr. Walter Weathersbee started to Bayan Monday with a drove of hogs.

The oil fever is still raging here. Misses Ida Colson and Cora Perkins of Iowa visited friends here last week. Almanac.

### Negro Lynched.

Birmingham, Ala., May 31.—Frank Reeves, a negro was hanged by a mob between Georgiana and Dunham, two small villages in Butler county.

The negro had assaulted Miss Ada McMillin and while attempting to drag her from a buggy was frightened away by several men who had responded to the young lady's screams for help. Reeves fled into the woods but was captured and after being fully identified confessed his crime and plead for mercy.

### Blew His Brains Out.

Laredo, Tex., May 31.—W. Ramirez, assistant postmaster at Carrizo, blew his brains out with a pistol. He was very popular and no reason is assigned for the act.



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## CUBAN AFFAIRS.

The Administration Discusses the Adoption of Platt Amendment.

Washington, May 31.—An important conference on Cuban affairs took place at the White House Thursday afternoon. There were present with President McKinley, Secretary Root, Senator Platt, chairman of the senate committee on relations with Cuba and Senator Spooner of Wisconsin. For more than an hour and a half the situation in Cuba was considered and when the conference broke up no determination had been reached. It is expected the whole matter will be brought before the cabinet.

Secretary Root informed the president fully of the definite results of the Cuban convention in adopting the Platt amendment as amended or interpreted by the delegates. This information was the basis of the discussion during the conference.

The president and his advisers must determine whether the Platt amendment has been "substantially" adopted by the convention. This is preliminary to the withdrawal of the United States military forces from the island of Cuba. If it should be found that the interpretation of the convention is not satisfactory to this government quite a difficult problem arises, for it seems to be the intention of the Cubans to proceed to form a government and that the government must be recognized or rejected by the president as he has full power to determine whether the act of congress has been complied with by the convention.

Those interested in Cuban affairs have also discussed the question as to whether the new Cuban government be recognized. The Cuban government will be for some time without the machinery to execute its own laws and put in operation its own edicts. Some lawyers say that the moment the Cuban government is recognized the authority of the United States ceases and there is some question as to who would be responsible for the preservation of law and order as the new government would have no troops and no police force and would be practically powerless should there be any opposition to its decrees and orders. The question whether the United States forces would be warranted in upholding the government in executing its orders has been raised, also whether the president of the United States, would be authorized as commander-in-chief of the army to give orders to our troops further than their recall from foreign territory.

## OIL FOR THE LAKES.

Texas Oil Will Compete With Pittsburg Coal as Fuel.

Pittsburg, May 31.—Pittsburg coal may have a competitor in Texas oil. This was made evident by the fact that J. M. Guffey Petroleum company is negotiating at Cleveland, with one of the vessel owners on the lakes for the purchase of two whaleback boats by which oil may be delivered at all lake points.

The J. M. Guffey Petroleum company now has two pipe lines from its wells at Beaumont, Tex., to Port Arthur, 16 miles away and up Sabine Pass where there is always sufficient water for the largest steamers. The pipe lines are 6-inch and 10-inch and through them 20,000 barrels of oil can be delivered from the wells to a steamer in 24 hours. The wells now flowing are producing over 100,000 barrels of oil a day.

It is possible to load the tank steamers at Port Arthur with oil, send them around by the gulf, the Atlantic ocean, the St. Lawrence river and the Welland canal into the chain of great lakes and deliver the oil in less than 30 days. It is estimated that for fuel purposes three and one-half barrels of oil is equal to a ton of the best Pittsburg coal. On this basis the oil could come into competition with Pittsburg coal at all lake points and contiguous territory, where coal is worth over \$2.50 a ton.

## Preferred Death to Jail.

St. Joseph, Mo., May 31.—A stranger, aged about 40 years, stole a horse and buggy and was caught by Patrolman Kiefer half a block away. The officer searched his prisoner and found no weapon. He ordered a patrol wagon, and as soon as the prisoner was placed aboard he drew a pistol and sent a bullet through his heart, dying a few minutes later at the police station. The man was a giant in stature. He had \$15 and letters addressed to E. H. Lamberton, Wallace, Mo., in his pockets.

## Crushed by a Train.

Weatherford, Tex., May 31.—An inquest was held at Aledo, over the remains of a stranger who met a horrible death near there, being run over by a freight train. He had been in the neighborhood several days, but no one knew his name. Papers were found about his person indicating that his name was M. D. Foster, and the he lived at Eastland.

## BIG MINING COMPANY.

One Incorporated With a Capital Stock of Eighty Million Dollars.

New York, May 31.—At the office in this city of the Montana Ore Purchasing company it is stated that dispatches from the west announcing the incorporation under South Dakota laws of the United Copper company of Montana with \$80,000,000 authorized capital were correct. The local representatives were not, however, prepared to say what properties the new concern would acquire. It was, however, stated that the new company was entirely independent of the Amalgamated Copper company, and that the Montana Ore Purchasing company would be included.

The Montana Ore Purchasing company, which is the chief property of the Heinzes, has recently come into decided prominence and is now producing copper at the rate of 40,000,000 pounds a year. This would compare with about 70,000,000 pounds for the Boston and Montana and say about 110,000,000 pounds for the Anaconda, the two principal mines of the Amalgamated Copper company. Last year the company is said to have produced about 24,000,000 pounds from its own mines, and to have treated for other mines about 10,000,000 pounds more, in addition to considerable amounts of gold and silver. The company has an authorized capital of \$2,500,000 in shares of \$25 par value each. Of this \$20,000 shares have been issued. There is also a bonded debt of \$1,000,000.

## CHINA'S ACCEPTANCE.

It Puts an End to the Belief That China Would Be Divided.

London, May 31.—There is no official information from Downing street, but it is generally believed that the China question has been settled. Berlin dispatches state explicitly that the Chinese government has agreed to pay interest at 4 per cent on the indemnity, and as the amount of the principal had previously been settled the last obstacle to the withdrawal of foreign troops and the return of the court to Peking has been removed. It has been a long chapter of diplomacy with nearly 12 months of intrigue, but the end has been reached without the partition of China or any disturbance of relations of the powers.

The German emperor has probably scored more heavily than anybody else. He has obtained from England joint rights for the guardianship of the Yang Tse valley without estranging Russia, and Von Waldersee has been in command of the allied forces and the most conspicuous figure in a complex diplomatic drama, in which ingenious by-play has not been lacking. What England has gained from the alliance with Germany is not apparent to close observers. Her interests have not been essentially different from those of the United States, but her diplomatic work has been done more clumsily.

## THE BABCOCK SUICIDE.

A Companion Tells How That Minister Ended His Life.

New York, May 31.—Since the cable dispatches telling of the tragic death at Naples on May 18 of Rev. Dr. Maltbie Babcock have been received in this city, a number of inquiries as to how a man seriously ill from fever as he was, could obtain the corrosive sublimate which he swallowed have been made.

In order to clear up the mysterious portion of the tragic story a special cable dispatch was sent to the Rev. Geo. S. Webster, pastor of the Church of the Covenant, a member of the party which accompanied Dr. Babcock and who is now in charge of the latter's body. The Rev. Dr. Webster sent the following reply in a cable message dated Naples, May 30:

"Dr. Babcock had a private room at the hospital. The physicians and surgeons not suspecting any mental disturbance, allowed his luggage containing medicines and surgical appliances, to remain in his room. After passing a comfortable night with a nearly normal temperature he was seized with an acute attack of mania. He locked his door and then used his own poison and knife. He was discovered soon after but it was too late. His death was quiet. His body is on the Trave, which sailed at 5 o'clock on May 30."

## Worse Than Reported.

London, May 31.—According to a dispatch from St. Petersburg it appears the conflict at Alexandrovsky in the vicinity of St. Petersburg between strikers at the Obuchoff iron works and the authorities on May 20, when about 1300 rioters attacked the police, was a much more serious repulse than admitted in the police report of the affair issued, which was to the effect that after 12 police were injured they were reinforced by soldiers who fired three volleys killing two men and wounding seven. Relatives of the strikers declare 40 men were killed and 150 wounded. A reliable witness says he saw four van loads of wounded persons, all covered with blood and another spectator declares he saw 2 big tug loads of wounded taken to the hospital.

## Mrs. McKinley Still Improves.

Washington, May 31.—Mrs. McKinley sat up for a while this morning. She is cheerful and feeling rested after her journey. Dr. Rixey says she shows great improvement.

## The Case Postponed.

Waco, Tex., May 31.—The case against H. Clay Pierce, charged with violating the anti-trust laws of Texas, was postponed until the fall term of court.

## DALLAS WON.

Defeats Louisville for the Confederate Reunion in 1907.

Memphis, May 30.—The business session of the United Confederate Veterans adjourned sine die late yesterday afternoon and nothing remained of the convention save the parade this morning and the ball tonight.

The event of the afternoon was the selection of the place of meeting next year. Mrs. Kate Cabell Curry placed Dallas, Tex., in nomination, backed with the indorsement of Dallas citizens and the governor of the state. Bennett H. Young of Louisville placed that city before the convention.

After the nominating speeches, the advocates of the two places were upon their feet with shouts. General Gordon rapped for order, but he was not heeded. The cries drowned out all else and it was some time before order could be restored.

Then it was seen that a contest was on. An effort to select the meeting place by viva voce vote failed and it was necessary to vote by divisions. This resulted in much confusion and all the while Dallas supporters vied with Louisville supporters in speeches for their respective cities. After an hour of tumult the vote was finally counted resulting: Dallas, 1263; Louisville, 1048. General Young then moved that the vote for Dallas be made unanimous which was done with a thunderous acclamation.

General John B. Gordon was re-elected commander, and the scene that followed the announcement that for a year longer he would preside over the work of the organization was touching. Old soldiers sprang to their feet and cheered the general with frantic energy, delegates climbed upon their chairs and made the building ring with their shouts and filled the air with waving hats as they applauded him again and again. It was a minute or two before the general could master his emotions sufficiently to express his thanks for the honor accorded him and to express his gratitude for the expressions of good will with which his re-election had been received.

The convention has been memorable in another respect and that is it has finally been decided that steps are to be taken for the erection of the Battle Abbey in Richmond. The work of erecting a memorial to the cause of the south has passed beyond the preliminary stage, and now the actual building will be commenced.

Outside of the work of the convention and more attractive to the great mass of visitors was the flower parade on Wednesday afternoon, which was one of the most successful affairs of the kind ever given in the city. The streets of the city were packed almost to the danger point.

General W. L. Cabell of the Transmississippi department, Lieutenant General S. B. Lee of the Army of Tennessee and Lieutenant General Wade Hampton of the Army of Northern Virginia, were all reelected.

Adjutant General Moorman was re-elected by the executive committee and his term of office increased from two to three years.

The Sons of Veterans elected Judge R. B. Haughton of St. Louis commander-in-chief over Edwin P. Cox of Richmond, Va., after consuming the entire afternoon.

The other officers elected were Edwin P. Cox of Richmond commander of the department of northern Virginia; W. A. Collier, Jr., of Memphis commander of the army of Tennessee; William K. Vanauch of Little Rock, Ark., commander of the Transmississippi division. The ball given in Confederate hall in the evening by the Sons of Veterans was a most successful affair. Fully 2000 people were on the floor when the ball was at its height.

## THE PARADE.

It Is Estimated That Five Thousand People Were in Line.

Memphis, May 30.—The final day of the United Confederate Veterans' reunion was devoted to the grand parade and a grand affair it was. It is estimated that 5000 people were in line. At the head rode General George W. Gordon, chief marshal of the day, his staff, General A. R. Taylor, chairman of the parade committee. Then came the band and following it General John B. Gordon and Adjutant General Moorman. Despite his years General Gordon rode his horse with ease and grace, with hat in hand he bowed from side to side in acknowledgment of the plaudits from the crowds.

Following General Gordon was the veterans, the sons of veterans and after them the local militia and a long line of miscellaneous carriages.

A ball at night closed the reunion. The event of the afternoon was the laying of the corner stone of Forrest monument. The stone was placed in position by Mrs. Mary Forrest-Bradley, granddaughter of General Forrest.

## Pleased With the Reception.

Berlin, May 30.—To the correspondent of the Associated Press, General Bonnal, the director of the French war school, expressed his delight at the splendid reception accorded French officers by Emperor William and his army and at the interesting military sights witnessed. He said: "We have been astonished at the perfectly frank and soldier-like manner and the speech of the emperor. Repeatedly the emperor emphasized with gladness because the Germans and French fought shoulder to shoulder recently, not only in China but in West Africa, thus learning to mutually esteem each other."

## BATTLE SCHOOL HOUSE.

We had a nice rain Thursday.

Mrs. W. M. Pearce and daughters, Mrs. S. W. Gentry and Miss Jennie Pearce visited Mrs. Tom Jones Wednesday.

There was prayer meeting at Mr. Jim Hassell's Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Gentry and Misses May Sandle, Jennie Pearce, Fenie Graham and S. W. Gentry attended the children's day service at Wellborn Sunday.

Mr. B. E. Gentry of Wellborn visited his daughter, Mrs. T. J. Jones Thursday.

Misses Jennie Pearce, Sallie Atkins, Dora Battle and Messrs. Joe Atkins, Horace Battle and Tom Pearce attended prayer meeting at Mr. Hassell's Wednesday night.

Velma Jones visited Miss Fenie Graham Thursday.

Mrs. Hassell visited her sister, Mrs. Stanley Gentry Thursday.

Mrs. Frank Ashford and Miss Ruby Ashford of Bryan visited Mrs. Levi Battle Thursday.

School Girl.

## BENSON SCHOOLHOUSE.

Benson Schoolhouse, May 28.—Health of the community is very good at present.

Bob Shaw, who has been guarding in Ft. Bend county for some time, is at home. He reports that it was very dry there when he left.

The school taught by Miss Mamie Todd closed on May 4. Miss Mamie gave her pupils a picnic at Mike's lake near here, the following day which was attended by a large crowd. Miss Mamie has been employed by the trustees to teach the school next year.

There was preaching here the second Saturday night and Sunday by Rev. Denton and Rev. Taylor of Madison county. On Sunday the church ordinance of communion and feet washing was observed. There were visitors present from Steep Hollow, Bethel, Reliance, Kurten, and Madison county.

Corn and cotton both are very good but some cotton is late on account of the farmers having to plant over, the recent heavy rains caused the creeks to overflow and damaged crops in low places some.

Mr. and Mrs. Lum Benson visited relatives at Bryan Sunday.

Sheriff T. C. Nunn and Mr. Will Nabors of Bryan were here Monday.

D. E. Thompson, Walter Cargill Noah Thompson, Tolbert Bullock and others attended preaching at Bethel Sunday.

The singing class met Sunday evening and spent several hours pleasantly singing. The leaders were C. M. Risinger and Will Terry of this place and W. H. Wiley, Allen and Tony Dyess of Bethel. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: C. M. Risinger, first chorister; Will Terry second chorister and Marion Shaw, third chorister and Miss Minnie Hensarling, secretary. Misses Laura Mims and Bessie Thompson and J. W. Benson were elected as delegates to attend the county singing convention.

Mrs. Addie Soles and daughter Miss Dina, of College, were present at singing Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Cargill of Bethel were here Sunday.

Sly Jim.

## State Sportsmen's Shoot.

Dallas, May 31.—The dates of the annual shoot of the Texas State Sportsmen's association have been fixed for June 11, 12 and 13, and the event will take place at the fair grounds, where it was held last year.

## Fowkes Was Acquitted.

San Angelo, Tex., May 31.—In the district court here the case of Jack Fowkes, charged with the killing of Al Denson at the Twin Mountain farm on June 25, 1899, the jury rendered a verdict of not guilty.

## Stung to Unconsciousness.

Denton, Tex., May 31.—Mr. Kendall of Justin was badly hurt by bees stinging him while cutting a bee tree. The bees covered his head and face and stung him until he was unconscious. His two sons saved him from being killed.

## Fire at Wagoner.

Denison, Tex., May 31.—Fire broke out in the rear of J. W. Pendergrast's grocery at Wagoner, I. T., shortly before 2 o'clock Wednesday morning, and in a few minutes it and two adjoining buildings were smoldering ruins. The residence on the east side was also soon in flames. The east wall of the building occupied by the postoffice and McGuire's bookstore was slightly damaged by the heat. Pendergrast's stock of groceries, queensware and notions was a total loss.

## The Brewer-Mott Wedding.

Washington, May 31.—Announcement has been made of the coming marriage of Associate Justice David Brewer of the supreme court and Miss Emma Mainer Mott, a prominent school teacher of this city.

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Southbound No. 4..... 2:45 a. m.  
Southbound No. 16..... 9:37 p. m.

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No. 100—Southbound—Passenger—Arrives..... 12:40 p. m.  
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No. 103—Northbound—Passenger—Leaves..... 3:45 p. m.  
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### LOCAL NEWS.

Miss Ivy Carnes is visiting in Calvert.  
Mexican June corn for sale by D. Mike Jr. 159  
House for rent. Apply to Mrs. E. B. Roberts. 54  
Walter Wiprecht returned from Austin yesterday.  
Fifty boxes of Misses drop stitch hose at Norwood's. 55  
J. T. Hanway and family have returned from Austin.  
C. A. Glenn was a visitor from Stone City yesterday.  
Dr. Tom Erwin was here from Hempstead yesterday.  
Baby shoes in all shades with socks to match at Norwood's. 55  
The finest beer in America is Lem's Falstaff bottle beer. Call for it. 80

Huyler's fine candies at McDougald's drug store. 89tf

Ed Pettus has been spending several days at home.

Miss Mary Stubenrauch returned from Millican yesterday.

FOR SALE—Good second hand cook stove at Wilcox shop. 50

Benson and George Isbell were here from Pankey yesterday.

August and Henry Prinzel were here from Kurten yesterday.

H. C. Robinson is at Mineral Wells for the benefit of his health.

G. H. Fullerton and A. E. McNair were here from Tabor yesterday.

Potato Bug Poison—25 cents per package McDougald's Drug Store. tf

J. Q. Adams and W. H. Kelly of Madison county were here yesterday.

Fresh bread and cakes made to order at E. Grieser's City Bakery. tf

Dr. Friley will preach at the Baptist church today at 11 a. m. and night.

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Miss Mary Lou Tinsley of Waco is visiting Mrs. H. H. Harrington at College.

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G. A. Markham has closed the 18 to 1 gallery here and will move to Navasota.

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25c White Organdies at 15c per yard.

100 pieces of 15 cent Lawns and dimities at

10c per yard.

300 yards of 27-inch black taffeta silk at

98c per yard.

\$3.00 Patent Leather Slippers for

\$2.50 per pair.

100 yards of black Empress Cloth at

98c per yard.

All shades of Neva Silk at

18c per yard.

5 pieces of 75c all over lace at

50c. per yard.

100 pieces of fine Nainsook Em broideries.

## BURT NORWOOD.

Ask for "Snow Drift Flour" a pure soft Wheat Flour from the Rocky Mountains. The best flour in the world. For sale by Jno. M. Lawrence & Co., Saunders Bros. & Co., D. C. Zuber, D. Mike Jr., Kernole Bros., Geo. W. Higg, T. D. Palermo, M. Scardino and Levy Bros. E. T. Pugh, State agent. 154

J. W. Hopkins and J. W. Meads were here from Thompson's creek yesterday. Mr. Hopkins says there are ants on his cotton and that some think that they are eating weevil eggs. This is most desirable too be probable.

Most of the merchants united in issuing a circular yesterday to the farmers of Brazos and adjoining counties urging them to unite in a fight against the boll weevil and endorsing Prof. Mally's method of spraying and formula.

J. Allen Myers and daughter, Miss Alice have returned from New York and the Pan-American exposition at Buffalo, leaving Frank Myers to take a business course at Poughkeepsie.

Mrs. Mattie Scrimshire returned to Millican yesterday accompanied by Miss Bertha Horetsky.

Full line fancy covert and crash for skirts at Wagner & Brandon's. 56

Father N. Roche and Father Donnelly of Houston arrived yesterday to conduct an English mission of three or four days at St. Joseph's Catholic church. They will preach twice each day, at 8 a. m. and p. m. All cordially invited to hear them.

John M. Caldwell gives notice that he will not be responsible for stock getting out of his pasture and being taken up while persons leave the gate open, and he desires to ask all who use the pasture to please be careful and close the gate. 59

On account of the dull season, etc., I will not be with Sanders Bros. & Co. for the next two months. I would be pleased to have my friends continue their patronage as I don't think they could do better elsewhere. 56 J. C. Bennett.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hall and little daughter, Frances, have arrived from Waco and are at home at Mrs. W. H. Webb's. Mr. Hall has taken charge of the business purchased from A. B. Ballard & Co.

At St. Joseph's church today: Mass at 8 o'clock and at 10 o'clock a. m.; evening services at 8 o'clock as usual. The impression that high mass at 10 a. m. will be offered today is erroneous.

Rev. A. M. Stuart returned from Arkansas, the Indian Territory and East Texas Friday night and will preach at the F. B. Baptist church tonight. All are invited.

Philip Prinzel, a well known and popular young man, is behind the bar at Taylor & Cox saloon and will be pleased to meet his friends and customers there.

W. M. Akin and wife and Miss Maggie Akin were here yesterday from Madisonville to meet Mrs. J. A. Jackson of Port Lavaca who arrived for a visit.

Marriage licenses: Robert Reed to Lizzie Nelson, J. H. Turner to Anna Hall, Josh Jones to Dona Thornton, James Johnson to Mrs. Sallie Hunt.

Cards are out announcing the marriage of Miss Sallie Webb Patterson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Patterson, to Mr. Ernest B. Brogdon, June 10.

There will be regular services at the Christian church today, morning and evening; also song service at 5:30. Everybody invited.

The Postal telegraph office has been moved from the Exchange hotel office next door to the Exchange barber shop.

Franklin Bros are handling the best line of refrigerated meats that was ever furnished the people of Bryan. 55

Just received 50 pieces mercerized fancies in pique and novelty wash dress goods. Wagner & Brandon. 56

Mrs. J. C. Dillard went to Greenville yesterday after spending some time her sister Miss Myrtle Conway.

FOR RENT—Good four room cottage, plenty of outhouses, stable, well of water. See J. B. Mike. 63

When you want to cool off and enjoy life seek your favorite resort and call for Falstaff bottle beer. 80

Services at the Methodist church today as usual on Sunday, with sermons by the pastor.

E. T. Pugh is agent for the Hammond typewriter, the best made. Ask to see it work. 70

Hot, dry weather is made endurable by Falstaff bottle beer the best summer beverage. 80

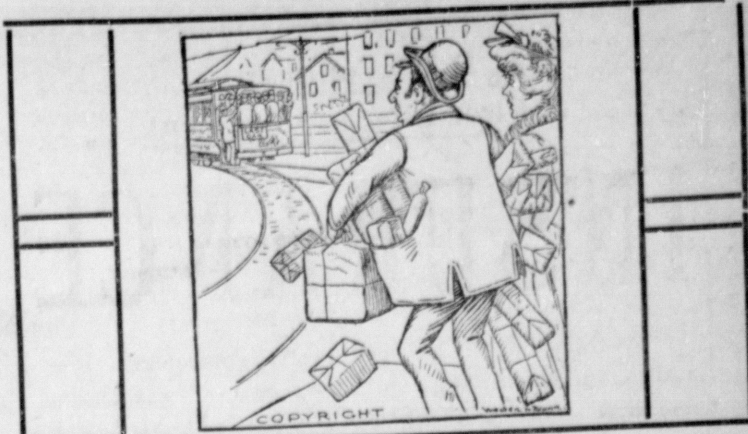
100 pieces magnolia dimity just received; special price to close out 5 cents per yard. 56

Just received full line boys balbriggan undershirts in knee and long lengths. 56

Miss Ethel Haltom of Benchley is visiting Misses Fannie and Lillie Belle Smith.

Just received fresh shipment Huyler's fine candies at McDougald's Drug Store. 89tf

## COMING ...HOME LOADED!



Isn't always a pleasant experience, but it is unnecessary when you purchase at our store as we deliver all goods free of charge and promptly when ordered.

## Our store loaded with good things

in all the delicacies of the season, our Whole Wheat Flour Bread being especially fine; for high grade fancy and staple groceries our prices are lowest in town

JOHN M. LAWRENCE & COMPANY,

## New Spring Millinery

The loveliest creations of this seasons' best artists and designers are now on exhibition at my store, and I wish to invite all my old friends and new ones, and the public generally to call and see them. The beauty and style of these HATS coupled with the low prices on them will make a buyer of you without further argument.

I am now selling the patented sun bonnet.

MRS. C. M. PROCTOR.

### SEASONABLE SPECIALTIES

We mention as reminders:

Feather dusters and brushes; moth balls; cleaning cream; Bug Poison; sulphur candles, copers and other disinfectants; Soap of all kinds, including the disinfecting kinds.

Ben S. Read, Druggist

P. S.—

Try BLACK CAPSULES for biliousness. Trial box 10c, full bottle 25c

B. S. R.

## FOR 1 WEEK ONLY.

We will sell next week, commencing MONDAY, June 3rd, to Saturday, June 8th, the following goods:

All our Silk Foulords, former price 50c at per yard - - - 35c

All our Silk Tissue, former price 50c at per yard - - - 35c

Also our entire line of Wash Silks all new patterns and goods that are worth 40c, this week only at 25c yard.

## Webb Brothers.

## ICE! ICE! ICE!

FIFTEEN TONS' actual daily capacity

Our Ice is made from pure, soft water, condensed, skimmed, reboiled, filtered and frozen. We have the most complete and perfect modern equipment. Cold Storage Room for seven to ten cars of ice. We are having built and will shortly receive three delivery wagons of four tons carrying capacity to take the place of wagons now in use. : : :



## WE WANT YOUR PATRONAGE

and will take especial pains to serve you PROMPTLY. 'PHONE 206.

## Bryan Ice, Storage & Coal Co.



## THE CONDITION OF THE PATIENT

Is often such that the slightest variation from what the doctor prescribes may have serious results. Prescriptions compounded here are absolutely correct. The order is followed exactly. We add nothing, hold out nothing and substitute nothing. The purest drugs and medicines are used. Everything is fresh and efficient.

M. H. JAMES,

THE LEADING DRUGGIST.



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Nothing but the best companies represented. Personal and careful attention given to the business. **Fire Insurance a Specialty.** Am agent for the PENN MUTUAL Life Insurance company of Philadelphia, who offer the best contracts of any life company, ask for specimen copy, also represent the Fidelity & Casualty, and the Maryland Casualty Accident Insurance Co's. Your business respectfully solicited.

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## BUTCHERS

....and meat dealers ....

We buy Hides, Wool and Pelts and pay the highest market prices.

### BRYAN, TEXAS.

Two Markets—One in new market building near courthouse and one next door to The Bryan Grocery Company

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### Livery Feed and Sale Stable

Having purchased this first-class and thoroughly equipped stable, we are prepared to serve the public promptly, with the best Horses, Carriages, single and double turnouts, etc., for pleasure driving or county trips. Our boarding facilities are unequalled. Mr. Henry Spell, the well known liveryman, will be found at our stable to wait on the public. We will appreciate a liberal share of your business.

**NABORS & NABORS.** Phone 42.

### Kandy Kitchen and Ice Cream Parlor.



PURE CREAM, SODA WATER and all kinds of refreshing and exhilarating summer drinks served in first-class style—the finest Candies, Fresh Fruits, Fine Cigars, Lowney's and Gunther's Candies, Cream supplied in quantities for parties or entertainments. Telephone number 202

## "Old Liza"

DRAY LINE, F. A. Lee, Proprietor. Good drays and polite draymen, prompt and careful work, are the claims upon which we solicit a share of your business in the future. Thanking those who have favored me in the past and hoping to continue to please them, I am respectfully,

**F. A. LEE.**

## GOLD MEDAL

highest award to HARPER whiskey at Paris, 1900; Chicago, 1893, New Orleans, 1885. Good as gold anywhere, any time. We'd like your expert opinion. Sold by J. L. HEARNE, : : Bryan, Texas.

### OUR HIDDEN VALUES.

South Waking Up and Prospecting for Earth's Products.

### TEXAS MADE START.

The Creation by the Texas Legislature of the Office of State Geologist and Beaumont Oil Caused the Other State to Act.

Baltimore, June 1.—To the wonderful discovery of oil at Beaumont must be attributed largely to the provision by the last session of the Texas legislature for the organization of a mineral survey of the land, belonging to the state's educational institutions, says the last issue of the Manufacturers' Record. Dr. William B. Phillips of the University of Texas, an expert mineralogist and consulting engineer, has been selected as the head of the survey. Expert statisticians give a value of \$6,330,000 to the mineral production of Texas last year. But in a speech before the late commercial convention at Dallas, Prof. J. C. Carrera of El Paso said that what is today known to exist below the surface of Texas is but a very small fraction of its great mineral wealth and that the geological survey ought to take a wider range.

More than one other of the southern states have undertaken such a survey within their respective domains. At its last session the South Carolina legislature provided for the office of state geologist. In Mississippi there is a growing demand for a scientific discovery of the underground wealth. Mississippi's geology has been studied in the past, but the work in that direction has not kept pace with similar work in Arkansas, Tennessee, Alabama, Georgia, North Carolina and elsewhere.

As a matter of fact, the latest oil discoveries in Texas have not only induced a greater activity in the Kentucky, Tennessee and the West Virginia fields and have spurred to the search for oil in Louisiana, Arkansas, Missouri, Alabama and Virginia where, in some instances, manifestations of years ago are the encouragement but have also turned the minds of energetic and progressive men in all parts of the south to the diligent study of its underground wealth. This is an age of saving. As much is now made from what were once the wastes of more than one industry as was formerly derived from the main product. This is a result of science and invention, the creation of new markets and the realization of the value of little things. Side by side with this economy in handling products is the steady development of new fields.

Under the advantageous conditions of the latest and most improved machinery and the accumulation of many years of experience in the older ones the south has already felt to its betterment the effects of this evolution in its coal fields and its iron mines, so long in practical idleness, its timber regions toward which the workers in depleted forests of the north and west have turned, and now in its oil fields with their potentialities still to be determined. Wonders already accomplished have attracted to the south the attention of men in other parts of the country and abroad, who have learned to recognize a good thing and to turn it to the best ends. There have been so many surprises that hardly any one will now be surprised at subsequent discoveries. These ought to be hastened by the agitation for a thorough survey of the south's mineral resources.

### MORE TEXAS OIL.

The Standard Oil Company Ships Three Thousand Barrels for Experiment.

New York, June 1.—Another large shipment of crude oil from the new Texas oil fields amounting to 3000 barrels has arrived by the steamship Atlantis to the Standard Oil company. The oil was shipped at Port Arthur docks through the pipe line from the storage tanks at El Vista. The consignment was valued by the shippers at \$12,000 and is the third largest shipment to arrive at this port. It is understood that the Standard Oil company is experimenting to determine the value of this oil for illuminating purposes.

### CUBANS DISAPPOINTED.

Rejection of the Changes to the Platt Amendment a Surprise.

Havana, June 1.—The decision of the United States government not to accept the Cuban constitution as adopted by the Havana convention, is a keen disappointment to the members of the convention who voted for it.

Two members interviewed said in substance that they had reason to suppose the constitution would appeal to Washington and that otherwise they would not have voted for the majority report as submitted. They also point out that if there was any possibility of rejection the amendment could be changed at the last minute in striking out the amendments and inserting such that would be accepted by congress.

General Wood said: "I never understood that the explanations of Secretary Root would be incorporated in the acceptance. I always considered that the convention regarded these explanations as explanations merely and not to form any part of the acceptance."

### Dahlhoff's Strange Will.

Moberly, Mo., June 1.—A few months ago David Cook, living near Higbee, in this (Randolph) county, shot Carl Dahlhoff. After the shooting Mr. Cook took the wounded man to his home and kept and cared for him until his death, which occurred a few days ago. Before dying Dahlhoff made a will leaving \$5 to each of his two sisters in Germany and \$20 to the Catholic church here and all the remainder of his property to Omer Cook, son of David Cook, the man who did the shooting. The administrator of Dahlhoff's estate has received a check on a New York bank for something over \$800, with the information that there was another sum of money, which would be sent here in a few days. The case of David Cook for causing the death of Dahlhoff is pending in court, and as matters now look, there is prospect of a remarkable case.

### Rate War Off.

Seattle, Wash., June 1.—The Alaska steamship rate war is at an end temporarily at least. An agreement was entered into by managers of the recently warring companies restoring the former passenger rates of \$25 first class and \$16 second class. The agreement is to be in force for 60 days and it is thought will then be extended. The rate war which brought transportation to southwestern Alaska as low as \$5 was forced by Canadian lines which insisted on American steamers keeping away from Vancouver on northbound trips. The agreement provides that only steamers of the Pacific Coast company may call at Vancouver.

### Will Fight Removal.

Richmond, Ky., June 1.—A committee of citizens appointed to look after the interest of Madison county in the matter of the proposed removal of Central University from this city, has served notice on Chancellor L. H. Blanton that they will on June 4 appear before the meeting of the Alumni association in this city and demand an accounting of the funds donated by Richmond and Madison county to Central University, dependent upon its location here. This step is said to be preliminary to the filing of an injunction suit to prevent the carrying out of the proposed consolidation scheme.

### Robbed of a Big Sum.

Seattle, Wash., June 1.—George Mulligan of Liberal, Kas., who says he is president of the Eagle Mining and Exploration company, while in this city awaiting the sailing of a vessel for Yukon Friday night, was robbed of \$17,000. He was drawn into a dark alley by two men as he was passing down a brightly lighted street, in the business section of the tenderloin, and snatched and despoiled of the money by ripping open his shirt, underneath which the money was concealed. No arrests have yet been made.

### Given Twenty-one Years.

Hot Springs, Ark., June 1.—The jury in the Etna case after being out 15 minutes, returned a verdict of guilty, and assessed his punishment the same as James, his partner, 21 years in the penitentiary. They robbed Henry Wilson over a month ago, and then tried to kill him by throwing him under a passenger train. Etna and James lived in Kansas City.

### Suicide Rather Than Arrest.

Chicago, June 1.—Confronted by a policeman while in the act of committing a theft Charles Griffin committed suicide here in order to escape arrest.

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to take her riding in one of my nobby buggies behind one of my fleet-footed road-scorchers.

These turnouts are built for comfort, ease, strength and beauty. It's a great pleasure to ride in of them.

We are always studying the livery business so as to be up-to-date, and give the best service for the most reasonable price.

If your horse is hungry send him to our stable.

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## Monroe Edge.

### LAND AND RENTAL AGENT

Devotes his time exclusively to buying and selling land. If you have mineral land, such as Coal, Oil, Gravel, Etc. come to see me. If you wish to invest in mineral lands, I HAVE IT.

#### BRYAN PROPERTY

Good 4-room frame house close to C. W. & B. V. depot will sell cheap.

Two lots with 5 room house, halls, 2 large cisterns, garden, cribs, etc. close to graded school; will close out at a bargain.

One five room house, well sheds, etc. close to graded school going 'very cheap.'

One good new 5 room house on same block as Free Baptist church, price "cheap."

A vacant block with 75 oak trees for \$400.

In southern part of city on College road, 5 lots, nice roomy house, orchard stables, hen house and other improvements, price \$1200.

1-4 block, 7 room house, 4 galleries, pantry, bath room, barn, waterworks, electric lights, well, orchard, etc. \$1200.00.

5-room house, 2 closets, 2 galleries, with sheds, cistern and 7 lots, for \$1000.

Large boarding house, will accommodate 30 people, will rent for \$600 to 700 a year, will sell cheap.

13 1/4 lots joining Jeff Franklin, will sell for 100.00

8 lots near Allen Academy for \$800.

31-2 acres of land near oil mill with two houses, one has 5 rooms the other 3, will exchange for country property or sell for 700.

3 cabins, 2 blocks south of L. & G. N. depot, will sell for \$700.

One 5-room house, hall, 2 galleries, 2 closets, good barn, cistern, waterworks, garden etc., in very well part of city, for \$1200.

One neat, newly finished cottage in southern part of city, good well, plenty of room for garden, etc., on high ground with splendid view, for \$600.

3 blocks in western part of city, known as city park, beautiful oaks on each block, will sell cheap.

One half block ground, 9 room house, 3 halls, 2 large underground cisterns, 7 hydrants, servants' house, big barn and all other modern conveniences, in best part of city, will sell cheap.

Several negro houses for sale very cheap.

#### COUNTRY PROPERTY.

292 acres of land on Wixon creek, 100 acres in cultivation, with two sets of houses, balance in timber and pasture, price \$8.00 per acre, on easy terms; 220 acres on Madisonville road, part in Madison, balance in Grimes county; will sell cheap.

50 acres 1 mile west of Bryan, 20 in cultivation, 30 in pasture, for \$450.

40 acres near Morgan's gin; will sell cheap on easy terms.

One of the best improved truck farms in the state, 46 acres, just outside the suburbs, for \$1200.

20 acres to the left on Madisonville road, on Wixon creek, 100 in cultivation, balance in pasture, will trade for city property or sell on easy terms.

One of the prettiest places in Brazos county 1 mile north of Bryan, 45 acres, good 5-room house, well, cistern, 2 barns, sheds, stables, etc. on very high hill for \$900.

28 acres of fine black prairie land, near Edge, 150 acres in cultivation. The only fine prairie for sale in this county; will sell cheap enough on easy terms.

At Kirtan—One good, 5-room house, worth \$400, 1 storehouse worth \$90; cribs, well, hen house, 2 acres of land. The place is worth at least \$2500; will sell for \$900.

At Wellborn—2 good storehouses and splendid dwelling; will sell cheap enough.

At Garret—4 good new houses with other good improvements; will sell cheap, or exchange for Bryan property.

At Ennis—4 3/4 acres, good barn, orchard, well in city limits, only five blocks from center of city; will sell for \$1500.00, or exchange for Bryan property.

In the city of Llano, in Llano county, Texas, I have three sets of city blocks from the courthouse, and same distance of city school; will sell or trade.

Three hundred acres very fine gravel close to both H. & T. C. and C. W. & B. V. R. R.

100 acres of land, 75 in cultivation, balance in pasture, 2 good houses, 3 wells, cribs, and other improvements, price \$900.00.

I have several tracts for sale near Lamb Springs, Grimes county. Also in Brazos bottom all of which are in the newly discovered oil districts and the prices are jumping so fast I can't hold them down more than two days at a time.

Yours for Business,  
**MONROE EDGE,**  
Land Agent and Notary Public.

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**TEXAS**  
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EFFECTIVE MARCH 10, 1901,  
ANNOUNCES THE COMPLETION OF ITS  
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It Shortens the Distance,  
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## J. W. BATTS,

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Have in office the only set of abstract books of Brazos county land titles.

Five lots and new cottage on College road. Stable, garden, etc. Price \$1200; terms reasonable.

Two lots and old 5-room house in southwest part of town. Price \$300.

Two and one-half lots near Allen Academy. Price \$220.

Also other city property

## BEWARE! Beware!

my friend and avoid any BAKING POWDER sold at 25c per pound or less—they contain Alum which is a corrosive poison; any sane person knows that Alum taken into the system is poisonous and will sooner or later ruin your health some way; be sure of a pure baking powder get

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